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Los Angeles Region



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TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Samuel Unger
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**SUBJECT: CHANNEL ISLANDS HARBOR BEACH BACTERIA TMDL
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Board) invites stakeholders and interested parties to a public meeting on **Tuesday, 26 October, at 10 a.m.**, in the Pacific Conference Room (next to the large cafeteria) of the **Ventura Government Center Hall of Justice Building, 800 S. Victoria Avenue, Ventura, California**. The purpose of the meeting is to solicit public participation in the development of a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) for bacterial exceedances at the Channel Island Harbor Beaches. In 2005, the Regional Board will consider an amendment to the *Water Quality Control Plan for the Los Angeles Region* (Basin Plan) to incorporate this TMDL to reduce beach closures caused by bacteria exceedances at Hobie Beach and Kiddie Beach in the Channel Islands Harbor.

At the meeting, Regional Board staff will present a summary of recent actions at the Channel Islands Harbor, the technical approach to developing a plan restore the Channel Islands Harbor Beaches, and TMDL development schedule. Staff will also solicit input regarding effective public and stakeholder participation in the TMDL process.

Please contact LB Nye at 213-576-6785 (lnye@rb4.swrcb.ca.gov) or Sam Unger at 213-576-6784 with questions or to be included on the agenda.

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For reference, recent Bacterial TMDLs adopted by the Regional Board are posted on the Regional Board website: <http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb4/>.

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